

In addition to 18 old cases that were pending, 12 new cases were launched. Out of the total number of 30 cases, 10 cases ended in conviction. A sum of Rs. 2,973 was realised as fines. The remaining 20 cases are pending.

The total number of weights and measures presented for testing was highest in Bangalore City with 992 units and Bangalore Civil Station came next with 762 units.

II. THE MYSORE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE MARKETS ACT.

(a) *Regulated Market at Mysore.*—The Regulated Market at Mysore continued to work satisfactorily. During the month under report, 27,910 pallas of groundnut, 54 pallas of til seeds, 176 pallas of castor seed, 94 pallas of niger, 351 pallas of Honge seeds, 1,034 pallas of horsegram, 354 pallas of greengram 96 pallas of avare, 206 pallas of urd, 507 pallas of cowpea, 4,54,084 cocoanuts, 653 maunds of chillies, 2,377 maunds of tamarind, 1093 maunds of soapnut and 2,860 maunds of jaggery were auctioned in the Market. A sum of Rs. 1,613-4-0 was collected by the Market Committee as Market Cess.

(b) *Regulated Market at Davangere.*—The Regulated Market at Davangere continued to work satisfactorily. During the month under report, 99,584 maunds of groundnut pods, 19,337 maunds of groundnut seeds, 88,793 maunds of cotton kapas, 67,114 maunds of cotton lint, 18,242 maunds of cotton seeds, 291 pallas of castor seeds, 10 pallas of sesamum, 82 pallas of niger, 86 pallas of horsegram, 841 pallas of Bengalgram, 123 pallas of blackgram, 762 pallas of thogari, 27 pallas of mustard seeds, 354 pallas of greengram, 184 pallas of coriander, 7,576 maunds of chillies 2,460 maunds of jaggery and 141 maunds of tamarind were sold in the market. A sum of Rs. 13,882-14-8 was collected by the Market Committee as Market Cess, Licence fee, etc.

(c) *Regulated Market at Chitaldrug.*—The Regulated Market at Chitaldrug continued to work satisfactorily. During the month under report, 95,574 maunds of cotton kapas, 16 maunds of cotton lint, 726 bags of groundnut pods, 68 bags of kusume, 377 bags and 57 pallas of castor seeds, 53 bags of bengalgram, 1,313 bags of tamarind, 144 bags of tamarind seeds, 1,360 maunds of chillies, 58 bags of horsegram, 3,966 maunds of jaggery, 18,387 maunds of small cotton and 11,427 maunds of big cotton were sold in the market. A sum of Rs. 1,414-6-0 was collected as Market fees, Licence fee, etc., during the month.

(d) *Regulated Market at Tiptur.*—During the month under report, 451 carts or 2,90,615 coconuts, 280 carts or 92,100 lbs. of seegu and 49,378 maunds of copra were auctioned in the Market. A sum of Rs. 1,118-3-0 was collected by the Market Committee as Market Cess, License fee, etc.

(e) *Regulated Market at Shimoga.*—During the month under report, 4,450 maunds of Rasi Saraku Areca, 1,099 maunds of Bette Saraku Areca were auctioned in the Market and a sum of Rs. 1,003-14-0 was collected by the Market Committee as Market fees, Licence fee, Cess, etc.

(f) *Regulated Market at Tumkur.*—During the month under report, 31,361 maunds of Groundnut, 22,777 maunds of Jaggery, 5,032 maunds of Tamarind and 548 maunds of Honge seeds were auctioned in the Market. A sum of Rs. 845-12-0 was collected by the Market Committee as Market Cess, License Fee, etc.

III. THE MYSORE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE GRADING AND MARKING ACT.

All the four egg grading stations continued to work during the month. The number of eggs graded and their value is as follows:—

Sl. No.	Name of the Grading Station	No. of eggs graded	Their value	Total amount of grading fee collected	
				Rs.	a. p.
1.	The Coorg Orange Growers' Co-operative Society.	6,483	Rs. 923 9 0	...	...
2.	The Government Poultry Farm, Hessarghatta.	9,907	1,566 9 0	...	...
3.	The Government Egg Grading Station, Mysore.	32,307	3,509 1 0	75	3 0
4.	The Mysore Provincial Dairy and Farm Products Co-operative Society, Ltd., Bangalore.	536	65 4 0	...	...
	Total	49,233	6,064 7 0	75	3 0

IV. COLLECTION AND COMPILATION OF AGRICULTURAL AND LIVE-STOCK STATISTICS.

Information regarding the availability of fruits, vegetable and other articles of food in Bangalore Market during the month of May 1952, was collected and furnished to the military authorities and other military contractors.

A monthly report of weekly market rates of copra, cocoanuts and cocoanut oil as at Tiptur and Arsikere was sent to the Secretary, Indian Central Coconut Committee, Ernakulam, for publishing the same in their monthly Bulletin.

V. CO-OPERATIVE MARKETING.

The milk handled during the month by some of the Milk Supply Co-operative Societies in the State is as follows:—

1. The Mysore Co-operative Milk Supply Union, Ltd., Bangalore. 42,000 lbs.
2. The Mysore Milk Supply Society, Ltd., Mysore. 5,100 lbs.
3. The Milk Supply Society, Chikmagalur ... 898 seers.

(P. N. No. 62—27-6-52).

Press Note.

The number of admissions this year to the following Technical Institutions in the State has been fixed by Government as follows:—

	Nos.
Government Engineering College	200
B. M. S. College, Bangalore	160
National Institute of Engineering, Mysore	80
Medical College, Mysore	60
Medical School, Bangalore	100

There has been a slight modification of the Government Order No. E. 2839-48—Uni. 97-51-4, dated 11th June 1952 in regard to the allotment of seats in the technical institutions. Government have now decided that after reserving 15 per cent of seats to the Depressed Classes, the balance should be divided equally between the Backward Classes and the General Classes.

The University had also indicated that the number of seats in the Inter Science Class should be reduced on the ground that the three-shift system was not working satisfactorily in some institutions. Government have considered this matter and have passed orders stating that no change is now necessary and that the number of admissions to the Inter Science Class should not be less than the number admitted in 1950-51 and in 1951-52.

(P. N. No. 63—27-6-52).

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Principal Information Officer.

FOREST DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Notification No. S. 18-135/52, dated 26th May 1952.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore, up to 2 P.M. on the 7th July 1952 for the right of purchase of Mysore Sandalwood (except root classes) and of sale to the public for domestic and religious purposes (inclusive of sale of Basola Bukni and Milwachilta for bona fide agarbathi manufacture) for three years from 1st July 1952, or from the date of confirmation whichever is later.

(1) Separate tenders should be given for the following areas:—

- (a) Mysore State.
- (b) U.P., C.P., Delhi and Bengal.
- (c) Bombay City and Province, Baroda, Rajaputana and Central Indian States.
- (d) The rest of South India including Hyderabad, Travancore, Cochin and French Indian Possessions like Pondichery, etc.

(2) Each tender should be accompanied by a sum of Rs. 2,000 in currency notes as earnest money or the tender will be rejected. Covers containing the tender should be addressed to the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore, New Public Offices, Bangalore and should be duly registered, insured and superscribed "Tenders for Sandalwood Agency". The earnest money will be returned to unsuccessful tenders.

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(3) The name and address of the tenderer should be full and clear.

(4) Minimum commission desired on value of Sandalwood purchased should be noted.

(5) The final acceptance of the tender rests with the Chief Conservator of Forests or the Government as the case may be.

(6) Nothing will prevent the Government from selling wood in the agency areas.

(7) Sandalwood will be supplied as and when stocks are available. No liability shall arise out of non-supply. Acceptance of Koti weights and payment of the full value of the Sandalwood before taking delivery are necessary conditions of purchase.

(8) The Agents shall keep accounts of the transactions which shall be subject to check by Departmental Officers.

(9) The successful tenderer shall execute an agreement (as per copy enclosed) on a stamped paper binding himself to the several conditions noted therein within 15 days from the date of intimation of the acceptance of tender. He shall deposit Rs. 2,000 (inclusive of the initial deposit paid with the tender) in Government Savings Bank for due fulfilment of the Agency terms.

(10) For breach of any of the conditions, the deposits are liable for forfeiture and the agency for cancellation, besides proceeding against the defaulter as per rule.

(11) For further particulars, please apply to the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore.

M. A. MUTHANNA,

Chief Conservator of Forests.

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BANGALORE FOREST DIVISION.

Tender Notification dated 13th June 1952.

TAMARIND OF HOSKOTE TALUK.

It is hereby notified for general information that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Malleswaram, Bangalore 3, on 7th July 1952, up to 4 P.M. for collecting Tamarind in Hoskote Taluk for two years from 1st April 1952 to end of 31st March 1954.

The tenders should be accompanied by an earnest deposit of Rs. 200 in currency notes.

The conditions will be same as those for Minor forest Produce.

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Notification dated 16th June 1952

SALE OF CASUARINA TREES.

It is hereby notified for general information that sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 P.M. on 7th July 1952, for the purchase of right to cut and remove the Casuarina trees yielding firewood in the following plantation as per details noted therein. The sale is subject to the confirmation by the District Forest Officer or the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore, as the case may be.

The tenderer should quote his rate on acreage basis and the tender should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 200 as earnest money.

The highest tenderer should pay the full sale amount with usual cesses.

For further conditions and other particulars please apply to the District Forest Officer, Bangalore District, Sandal Koti Buildings, Malleswaram, Bangalore 3.

SCHEDULE.

Bangalore Range ... Bommenhally Casuarina Plantation of 1944-45
25 acres (Yield about 60 tons Casuarina Fuel).

J. P. MASCARENHAS,

D.F.O.

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KOLAR FOREST DIVISION.

Brief Notification dated 10th June 1952.

Sale of Thupra leaves lease.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting Thupra leaves on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrit Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved lands and Plantations of the District from 1st July 1952 to end of 30th June 1955, will be sold talukwar by the District Forest Officer, Kolar District or by

any other Officer deputed by him at the District Forest Officer, Kolar, on Wednesday the 9th July 1952 subject to the following conditions:—

1. The auction sale will commence at 2 P.M. and if it is not concluded on the same day it will be conducted on the next day at the same hour.

2. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the Sale Conducting Officer Rs. 200 as earnest deposit and produce the solvency certificate in the prescribed form.

3. The successful bidder shall at the close of the sale pay one-sixth of the sale amount with the cesses and sale tax at Re. 0-3-3 per rupee on the entire sale amount, including the deposit already made and pay the balance five-sixths of the sale amount as follows:—

One-sixth within a fortnight from the date of intimation of the confirmation order.

One-third by 1st April 1953 and the balance of one-third by 1st April 1954.

4. For further particulars vide notification dated 22nd April 1940 of the District Forest Officer, Kolar, published on Page 96, Part VI of the Mysore Gazette, dated 25th April 1940 and notification No. S. 2-9-1075-45 dated 3rd May 1946 of the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore.

Names of Units.

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Srinivasapur taluk.

Chikballapur taluk.

Bagepalli

Sidlaghatta

Goribidnur

Malur

Gudibanda

Bangarpet

Mulbagal

Chintamani

Kolar

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N. SESA MURTHY, D.F.O.

MYSORE FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 17th June 1952.

It is notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting Minor Forest Produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrit Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved Lands and Plantations from the date of confirmation of the sale to the end of March 1954, in the undermentioned Taluks will be resold talukwar by the District Forest Officer, Mysore Division, Mysore, or any other officer deputed by him at the risk of the original purchaser who has failed to execute the bond and to furnish the surety and security, on Thursday the 10th July 1952 at 3 P.M.

District	Name of Taluks	Place of sale
Mysore	1. Periyapatna 2. Srirangapatna	District Forest Office, Mysore.

For detailed conditions of the sale, please see the detailed sale Notification No. S. 81-872—51-52, dated 5th January 1952, published on page 46, Part VI of the Mysore Gazette, dated 17th January 1952.

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B. H. GULAB SINGH, D.F.O.

HASSAN FOREST DIVISION.

Brief Re-sale Notification dated 26th June 1952.

Grass Lease.

It is hereby notified for general information that the grazing right of cattle, which terms includes only Cows or Bullocks, Buffaloes and Sheep (Goats being excluded) in the undermentioned State Forests of the Hassan District up to end of December 1952 will be resold by public auction on 7th July 1952 at Shantigrama by the District Forest Officer, Hassan or the Range Forest Officer concerned subject to the confirmation by the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, when the sale amount exceeds Rs. 500. The sale will commence at 2 P.M. on 7th July 1952 if it is not concluded on the same day it will be continued on the next day.

N.B.—The grazing of goats in the specified areas of State Forests has been reserved by the Department although the lessee will have purchased the right to allow cattle specified above in such areas also.

Plantation or State Forests	Extent	Place of sale	Date of sale
Burdalbare Forest	300 acres	Shantigrama	7th July 1952

For detailed conditions enquiries may be made in the District Forest Office or Range Forest Office where in the copies of detailed notifications are available.

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